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The BETHEL OXFORD CITIZEN

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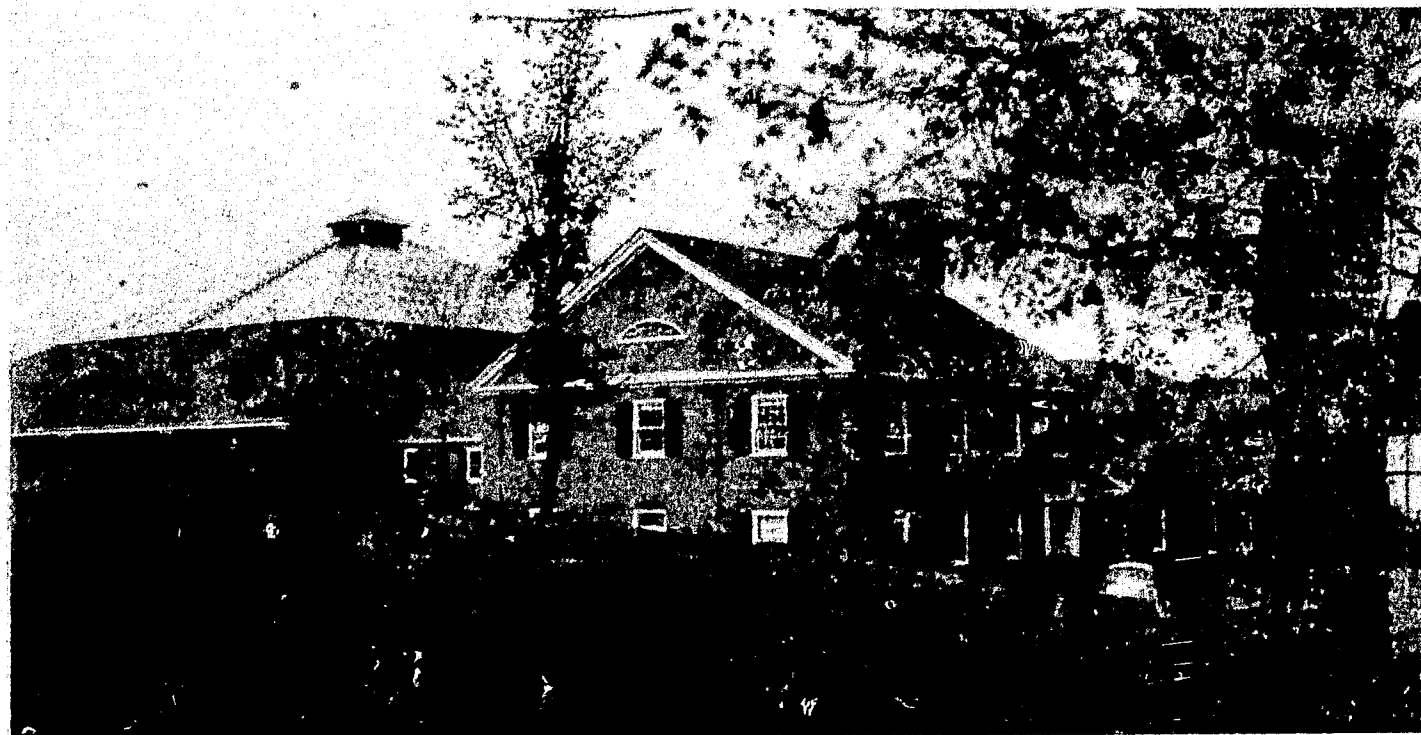
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"Farnsworth House" Dedicated



GOULD ACADEMY'S NEW FIELD HOUSE, where the dedication exercises are held today, largely attended by friends of the school, alumni, educators and sports writers. This modern building includes a "cage" with a dirt floor 150 feet square, with dirt running track and ample space for baseball, track and all outdoor sports, as well as basketball on a built-up floor. Besides locker rooms, etc., the buildings also contains physical directors' offices, corrective exercise room, and courts for squash, badminton, volley ball, handball, wrestling and other specialties.

BETHEL AND VICINITY

Philip W. Daye 2nd is confined to his bed at this writing by illness.

Dana Brooks was home from Springfield, Mass., over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hall of Milton, Mass., were week-end guests in town.

Dr. Harry Young of Portland called on his brother, Ralph Young, Thursday.

Mrs. Henry Godwin and Mrs. Fred Douglass were in Rumford, Tuesday.

Robert Moore was at home from Wentworth Institute, Boston, over the week-end.

Lt. Winona Chapin, R. N., was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Philip W. Daye, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Willey of Berwick visited his uncle, C. A. Austin, Sunday.

Mrs. Rena Foster of Newton, Mass., spent the week-end with Miss Minnie Capen.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Jose of Portland called on Mrs. Ada Durell over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerard Williams were guests of relatives in Wilton over the week-end.

Miss Elaine Warren and Mrs. Norris Brown are taking care of Mrs. William Bosselman.

Miss Kathryn Davis of Portland visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Davis, over the week-end, returning to Portland Monday night.



BILL CUNNINGHAM, famous Boston Herald sports writers, who delivers the Dedication Address at the Field House exercises today.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Martinson were at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Wight, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ladd of Canaan, Vt., were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Burgess of Auburn spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Moore.

Mrs. Ada Durell is closing her house soon, and will go to Kittery where Mr. Durell is employed.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Verville and son spent the week-end at Emery's camp at Locke's Pond.

Carolyn Chadbourn is the guest of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. William Chadbourn, at Auburn.

Nathaniel Bartholomae of the University of Maine was a week-end guest of Richard Peabody.

Miss Frances Carter and Miss Barbara Lyon of Portland spent the week-end with relatives here.

Mrs. Marjorie Bartlett of Boston was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Farwell, over the week-end.

Miss Marjorie Burns of North-east Harbor spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Burns.

Mrs. Mildred Garroway has finished work at Farwell & Wight's and is employed at the home of E. P. Lyon.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Cutler of Farmington were in town Thursday evening. Mr. Cutler attended the Masonic meeting.

Mrs. Mary C. Wilson, Mrs. Robert Kirk, Miss Harriet Merrill and F. B. Merrill were in Peterborough, N. H., Sunday.

Rev. M. A. Gordon has been attending a series of lectures at the Copley Square Church, Boston, several days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Bennett and family were in Rumford Tuesday to spend the day with Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Mulligan.

Mrs. L. M. Welch of Oak Bluffs, Mass., visited her cousin, C. A. Austin, three days last week. They had not met for 28 years.

Richard Hay, who has spent the past year at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Merrill, went to Penobscot, Mass., Wednesday.

Mrs. Ina Hutchins Viner and Miss Marjorie Eagle of Washington, D. C. are visiting Mrs. Frank Bartlett and Mrs. Herbert Tiff.

Mrs. Winfield Wight, Misses Marion Wight and Peggy Proctor visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Wight over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Anthony and sons, Ralph and Raynor, of Revere, Mass., were week-end guests of John Harris and Miss Hattie Harris.

RUMFORD BOARD ANNOUNCES FIVE SELECTEES

The following men were selected for induction by Local Board No. 2 at Rumford, reporting at 7:30 Wednesday morning: V-1237, Victor Fergola, Mexico; S-755, Walter Louis Jasud, Peru; S-882, Albert Joseph DeRaspe, Mexico; 892, Leroy Daniel Day, Locke Mills; 894, Clayton Bernard Holman, Rumford Center.

Augustus Carter and family have moved from Middle Intervale to the apartment on Mechanic Street recently vacated by Mrs. Gladys Bean.

Charles Davis, who has been with his daughter, Mrs. Rob Wermell, in Portland, is spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Merrill.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Brown daughters, Arlene and Rachel, son, Alfred, and Miss Faith Brown were in Fryeburg, Sunday, visiting relatives.

Sidney Dyke and Leo Dawkins were at Mr. Dyke's home over the week-end from Windsor Mills, Que., where both are flying instructors.

Mrs. Gladys Bean and family have moved to the newly finished rent in the house of Robert York on Chapman Street, formerly the Copeland place.

Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Lord and family moved Wednesday into their new home on Mason Street, recently purchased of Mr. and Mrs. Scott Robertson.

Miss Electa Chapin of Old Orchard and Miss Ellen Jolliko of Rockport, Mass., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. Grover Brooks over the week-end.

Commander John Compass and Vice Commander Philip W. Daye of the George A. Mundi Post were in Farmington one day last week on Legion business.

Miss Arlene Greenleaf, who is studying at the New England Conservatory of Music, Boston, spent the week-end with her parents Dr. and Mrs. S. S. Greenleaf.

Mr. and Mrs. John Maguire returned Tuesday from a five days vacation trip to Connecticut. Their children, Jack and Linda, visited relatives in Portland.

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GOULD DEFEATS NORWAY

Bethel fans who followed the "Blue and Gold" to Norway last Saturday were treated to some thrills and pleasant surprises as the local team came from behind to win over a favored Norway team.

Bud Ireland proved the margin of victory with two sparkling runs of 57 and 50 yards for touchdowns, aided by some excellent blocking by his team mates.

The entire Gould line showed improvement with Dave Hawkins playing exceptionally well on defense. Whip Abbe couldn't seem to get going in the first half but certainly proved a horn in the side for Norway in the last half.

Littlehale, who substituted for the ailing Lovejoy in the last three periods, did an excellent job on both offense and defense. At times the Gould blocking was excellent but at other times it was equally ineffective.

Norway scored first on a blocked kick which was converted into a safety for two points. In the second period Ireland broke loose to score the first of his two touchdowns to put Gould ahead 6-2 at the half.

The third period proved a "nip and tuck" scoreless affair but in the last stanza Ireland again broke loose to put the game on ice 12-2.

High winds kept the passing at a minimum so the two teams had to settle down to a real ground duel. Norway's stellar fullback, Wiley, entering the game with a bad ankle, lasted only two minutes before injuring the other ankle so that he had to retire.

The winners seemed to have improved considerably and have learned to play the ball well. They were quick to take advantage of every break, in fact they made some breaks for themselves by the efficient way in which they came down under punts worrying the Norway safety man.

Summary:
GOULD (12) (2) NORWAY
Amato, lb re, Luce
Abbe, lt lt, French
Adams, lg rg, Orre
Davis, c c, Raymond
Emerson, rg le, Grover
V. Bennett, rt lt, Dadmun
Hawkins, re lg, Partridge
Ireland, qb qb, LaFrance
Morton, lhb rhb, Roy
Robertson, rlb lhb, Jacobson
Littlehale, fb fb, Wiley

Score by periods:
Gould 0 6 0 6-12
Norway 2 0 0 0-2
Substitutes: Gould—Lovejoy, A. Bennett, Norway—Latohla, Morse, Phinney. Touchdowns—Ireland (2), Safety—Grover. Referee—Topping. Umpire—Curran. Head linesman—Allen. Time—four 10s.

BETHEL CAPTAIN WINS PRAISE IN MANEUVERS

Capt. James D. Alger of Bethel won the praise of his commanding general, Major General Bruce Magruder of the 1st Armored Division, for the part Capt. Alger played in a battle near Provencal, La., during the Louisiana maneuvers.

Capt. Alger was commended for his "qualities of leadership, sound tactical judgement and aggressiveness." As commanding officer of the 2nd Battalion, 1st Armored Regiment (light tanks), he and his men captured or destroyed by simulated action large quantities of enemy force and materiel.

ARMY RECRUITING SERVICE VISITS HERE WEEKLY

A representative from the Army Recruiting Station at Lewiston visits the following hours every Wednesday during the hours indicated.

Mechanic Falls 8:30 to 9:30 a. m.

Norway, 10 to 11 a. m.

South Paris, 11:30 a. m. to 12:30 p. m.

Paris, 1 to 1:30 p. m.

Bethel, 2:30 to 3 p. m.

Rumford, 4 to 5 p. m.

At the present time all enlistments are "unassigned," but recruits may express a preference for the branch of the service they prefer.

HOME GUARDS OFFICERS APPOINTED MONDAY

First of the appointments of Legion Brigade officers were made at the drill meeting Monday evening by Captain Leslie Coburn. Other appointments will be made later. Officers appointed were:

1st Lieut. Archie Young
2nd Lieut. William Young
1st Sergeant E. A. MacDonald
Corporals Edwin Brown, Frederick McMillin
Senior Corporals Homer Smith Jr., Robert Lowe, Alton Cross
Company Clerk John King

MRS. ANGIE L. WIGHT

Mrs. Angie Lydia Wight, widow of the late Dr. I. H. Wight of Bethel, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Edwin Martinson, of Groton, Mass., Saturday, Oct. 11. She was born in Milan, N. H., Oct. 21, 1878.

Funeral services were held Monday afternoon at 1 o'clock at the Congregational Church, Bethel, with Rev. Herbert T. Wallace officiating.

The bearers were Kenneth Wight and Dr. Harry Wilson of Bethel, Carl Phipps and Robert Phipps of Gorham, N. H.

Interment was at Milan, N. H.

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THIS WEEK IN DEFENSE

Summarizing Information on the Important Developments of the Week Made Available by Official Sources.

Neutrality Law Modification Asked

Stating "we will not let Hitler prescribe the waters of the world on which our ships may travel..." the President asked Congress to repeal Section 6 of the Neutrality Act which prohibits arming of American merchant ships and to examine other points of the law. The President said this action "is a matter of immediate necessity and extreme urgency..."

The President said conditions have so changed since enactment of the law, it is no longer truly a neutrality measure. He said "it is time for this country to stop playing into Hitler's hands and to unshackle our own." He said the U. S. should not be "forced to masquerade American-owned ships behind the flags of our sister Republics."

"Most of the vital goods authorized by Congress are being delivered," Mr. Roosevelt said. "Yet many of them are being sunk; and as we approach full production requiring the use of more ships now being built it will be increasingly necessary to deliver American goods under the American flag."

The American Red Cross instructed the British Red Cross to forward immediately to Russia 800 tons of medical supplies. The American Red Cross will send replacement supplies to England.

Retail food prices continued to rise between mid-August and mid-September, increasing 2.6 percent to reach the highest level since January, 1931, the Labor Department reported. Consumer Commissioner Elliott reported food prices have risen 25 percent since the war began as compared to 18.4 percent in the comparable World War period and farm products have risen 43.1 percent as contrasted to 12.6 percent during the last war.

Price Administrator Henderson, speaking in support of the pending price regulating legislation, said "even more frightening than the present level of price advances is the fact that these advances have been gathering momentum since the early months of the year." He said the cost of living last August was 7 1/2 percent higher than two years ago. Since March alone, he said, the cost of living is up 5 percent.

Priorities

The Supply Priorities and Allocation Board ruled that no new public or private construction can be started unless it is essential for defense or the health and safety of the people or does not involve use of strategic materials. The ruling applies to Federal, State and local government buildings, roads and highways, rivers and harbor improvements, residential building and all commercial building. Efforts will be made however, to aid completion of construction already substantially finished.

The SPAB also voted to permit building of 228 commercial aircraft with the reservation that Army can take them if they are needed. Physical Rehabilitation for Selectees

The President announced plans to "salvage" 200,000 of the 1,000,000 selective service registrants who have been rejected for health reasons. He also announced he would initiate a long-range program of Federal, State and local cooperation to remedy conditions which have resulted in 50 percent of men of army age being physically unfit for military service. The Federal Government would pay for medical and dental treatment of those men certified by local boards as subject to health improvement.

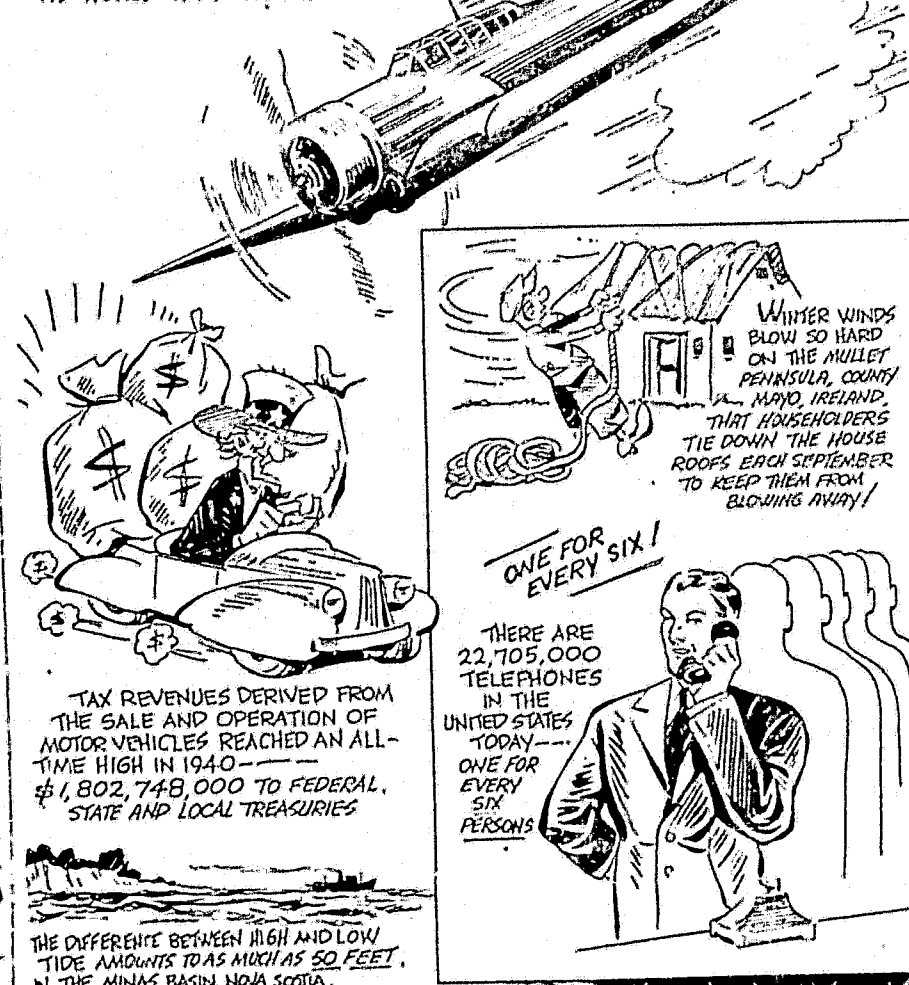
Selective Service announced that

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TAX REVENUES DERIVED FROM THE SALE AND OPERATION OF MOTOR VEHICLES REACHED AN ALL-TIME HIGH IN 1940—\$1,802,748,000 TO FEDERAL, STATE AND LOCAL TREASURIES

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WINTER WINDS BLOW SO HARD ON THE MOUNTAIN PENINSULA, COUNTY, IRELAND, THAT HOUSEHOLDERS TIE DOWN THE HOUSE ROOFS EACH SEPTEMBER TO KEEP THEM FROM BLOWING AWAY!

starting January 1 all registrants will be given only one physical examination by the Army. At present registrants are examined by local board doctors and then by Army physicians and cannot tell until final exam if the will be accepted.

Air OPM announced 1,914 military aircraft were delivered during September a new monthly record. The War Department announced it will allow Army aviation cadets 30 hours credit for flight training prior to enlistment thereby cutting in half the flying time necessary in the Army to win wings. Multiple air raids began along the East coast from Boston to Savannah to test ability of civilian postmen and their communication system.

Nursing

The Red Cross announced a program to instruct 500,000 American housewives in home nursing in the next year. Courses will take six weeks of class work and practical experience. Miss Olivia Peterson, director of public health nursing for Minnesota, will conduct the program.

Employment

The President's Committee on Fair Employment Practice asked any one denied a defense job because of creed, color, race, or national origin to write the Committee at Washington so an investigation can be made and remedial steps taken. The OPM Labor Division issued new reporting forms to speed up surveys by the U. S. Employment Service local offices of situations where civilian factories are closed by material shortages and priorities. The OPM advised the War Department that 34 companies making most of the nation's washing machines can produce defense articles and asked they be given preferential treatment to avoid lay-off of workers.

Labor

The President in a message to the AFL convention in Seattle, said the time has come when Federal mediation machinery "must be used" before any recourse is taken to a strike or lockout. He said organizational rivalries and jurisdictional conflicts must be discarded for the duration. Labor Secretary Perkins told the meeting it is of extreme importance that trade-unions develop in the new future a pattern of self-imposed discipline. She said the closed shop, closed memberships and high dues should be "re-studied with a view to the public welfare" and to provide for those who "are not joiners by nature."

Labor Safety

Navy Secretary Knox told the 30th National Safety Congress in Chicago a killed or injured worker is as much loss to defense as a machine or tool because "we have no time to train replacement workers." He said time lost through injury last year would have built 45 1/2-bp. 75,000 fighter planes or 15,000 heavy bombers.

Production

OPM Director Knudsen speaking in New York said despite tremendous increases in British and American production the Nazis will continue to hold their lead in certain important war items "for a long time."

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long time unless we step up our present pace." OPM Chief Statistician May said in a New York radio speech that the U. S. is devoting only 15 percent of its resources to defense while Canada and Great Britain are devoting 50 percent close to the absolute minimum. Mr. May said to put U. S. on a plane with Britain's means drastic diversion of materials, man-power and facilities from civilian to military uses. He said, for example, auto production would have to be cut from 50,000 to 1,000 cars a week.

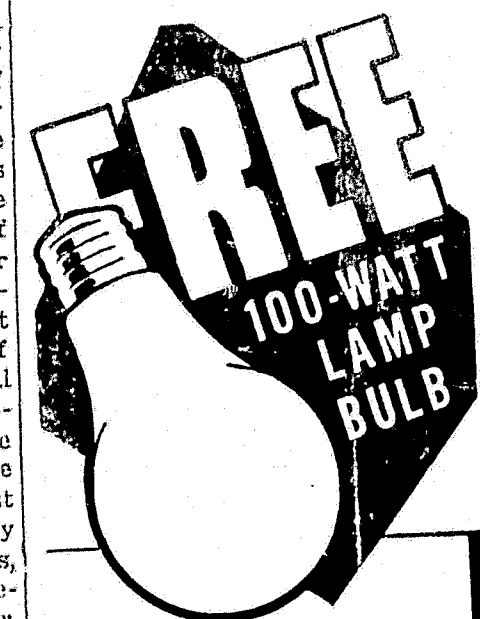
Foreign Trade

President Roosevelt told the 28th National Foreign Trade Convention in New York that equality of treatment and mutual benefit to all nations could be the only basis for post-war commercial relations if peace is to be enduring. Under Secretary of State Welles told the convention that trade agreements similar to those made before the war by the U. S. would be one of the post-war economic tools. Under Secretary of Commerce Chaffield-Taylor told the group "we must not repeat the mistake of Versailles, of stressing territorial and political adjustments and asking little provisions for the basis of sound trade and economic reconstruction." He said England and the U. S. must set the trade pattern because only they have the productive facilities, natural resources and capital necessary for world economic order.

Helping South America

Speaking in Boston, Coordinator of Inter-American Affairs Rockefeller

said the U. S. "has practically taken up the slack left in the trade of the 20 Republics due to their loss of the continental European markets" by increasing import purchases from \$450,000,000 to nearly a billion dollars a year. He said the \$700,000,000 made available to South America for loans is being used by Latin countries to build up industries and agriculture "worth fighting for." He said actually only \$37,000,000 is currently not repaid and that not all funds available were borrowed.



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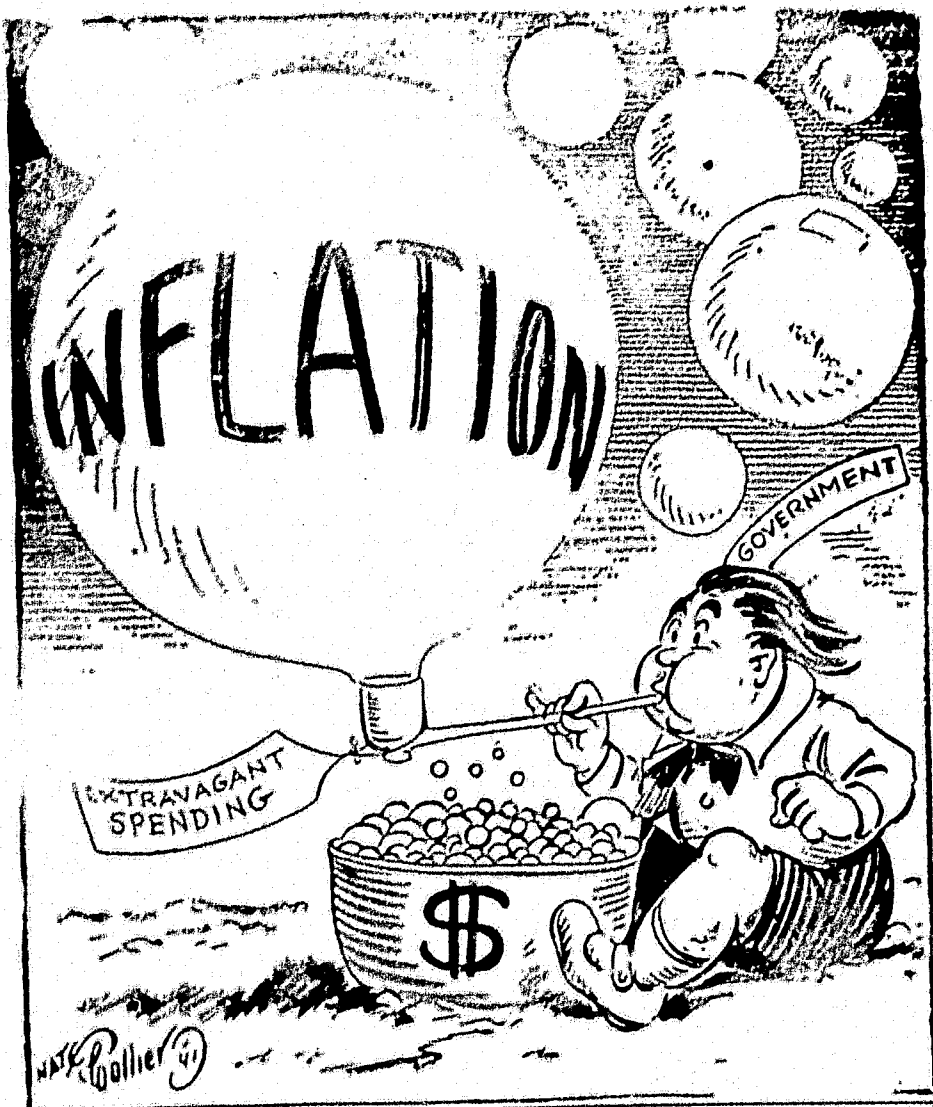
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RED & WHITE Sliced MUSHROOMS 4 oz. cn. 23c	RED & WHITE CRABMEAT 6 1/2 oz. cn. 29c
RED & WHITE SHELLED BEANS 2 cns. 29c	RED & WHITE Shortcake PEACHES 2 cns. 57c
RED & WHITE CHILI SAUCE 12 oz. bot. 19c	CAMPBELLS TOMATO SOUP can 7c
RED & WHITE Whole Peeled APRICOTS No. 2 1/2 cn. 26c	RED & WHITE Fancy Florida GRAPEFRUIT Juice 46 oz. 19c
RED & WHITE CODFISH CAKES 2 cns. 23c	RED & WHITE New England BAKED BEANS 2 tall cns. 25c
RED & WHITE Whole Kernel CORN 2 cans 27c	RED & WHITE COFFEE lb. can 29c
RED & WHITE FRUIT COCKTAIL 2 cns. 33c	RED & WHITE CAKE FLOUR lgc. pkg. 21c
RED & WHITE Raisin or Plain BROWN BREAD 2 cns. 25c	RED & WHITE VANILLA EXT. 2 oz. bot. 89c
BLUE & WHITE Tender SWEET PEAS 2 cans 28c	RED & WHITE TABLE SALT 2 pkgs. 15c
RED & WHITE CHANBERRY Sauce 2 cns. 25c	RED & WHITE Absolutely Pure PRESERVES lb. jar 19c
RED & WHITE APPLE SAUCE 2 cans 25c	RED & WHITE Smooth, Moist PEANUT BUTTER lb. jar 19c
RED & WHITE CATSUP 2 1/4 oz. bots. 29c	RED & WHITE Evaporated MILK 3 tall cans 25c
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BETHEL AND VICINITY

Erwin Sweett and Mrs. F. I. French were in Errol, N. H., Friday.

Norman Lowell son of Mr. and Mrs. Linwood Lowell, returned from the St. Louis Hospital, Berlin, Monday night, where he had been for observation.

Mrs. Carrie French, Mrs. Mary Ladd, Mrs. Ruth Lord, and Mrs. Selma Chapman attended the District Convention of the Pythian Sisters in Mexico, Wednesday.

Miss Virginia Davis of Gorham Normal School spent the week-end at her home in town, and had as her guest, her classmate, Miss Betty Kennedy of North Berwick.

Miss Frances Morrill, Miss Barbara Hall and Miss Lillian Leighton, students at Northeastern Business College, Portland, spent the week-end at their homes here.

Mrs. Charles Merrill is a patient at the Symmes Hospital in Arlington, Mass., where she underwent surgery, Saturday. Mr. Merrill was in Arlington over the week-end.

Rev. and Mrs. Herbert T. Wallace left Monday to spend a few days at Orleans, Vt., where they attended the 100th anniversary of the Brownington Church, Monday evening.

BOWLING

Dick Young's Service Station

Davis	85	105	77-263
Merrill	88	99	103-290
Bryant	73	81	78-232
Young	83	75	95-253
Brooks	100	99	108-313
Totals	436	459	461-1356

Central Service Station

Smith	93	97	80-270
Littlehale	92	84	76-251
Scotthorne	96	86	88-276
Morgan	96	89	79-264
Chapman	98	94	97-289
Totals	475	450	410-1344

SHOWER

Mrs. Jean Bennett of Albany was guest of honor at a stork shower given Wednesday evening at the home of her grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Harry Inman, of Bethel. After the gifts were opened refreshments were served.

Those present besides the honor guest and hostess were: Mrs. Viola Kimball, Mrs. Hazel Wardwell, Mrs. Lilla Stearns, Mrs. Edith Stearns, Mrs. Bertha Andrews and Miss Myrtle Lapham, all of Albany; Mrs. Mary Andrews and Mrs. Marion Whitman of Norway; Mrs. Roxie Inman, West Paris; Mrs. Albert Keniston and Miss Phyllis Keniston, Bryant Pond; Mrs. Mabel Beckler, Miss Helen Beckler, Mrs. Eva Morrill, Mrs. Lois Morrill and daughter, Eva Mrs. Alta Meserve and Miss Sylvia Bird, all of Bethel.

Those sending gifts were Mrs. Myrtle Guilford of Boston, Mrs. Mabel Andrews of Whitinsville, Mass., Mrs. Ava Wright, Norway, Mrs. Laura Andrews, Mrs. Lillian Smith and Miss Virginia Smith of Bethel.

Henry Hastings was home over the week-end.

C. A. Austin was in Portland on business Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Twaddle of Boston spent the week-end in town.

Supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. I. French Friday were Mrs. Esther Williamson, Miss Phyllis Williamson and Richard Williamson of Upton and Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Sweett of Gilead.

Mrs. Myron Bryant, Mrs. Louis Van Den Kerckhoven, Mrs. Gard Brown and Mrs. Earl Davis were in Norway Tuesday evening to attend guest officers' night of the Oxford County O. E. S.

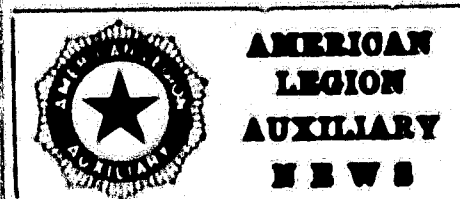
Misses Beatrice Brown and Esther Burris attended the session of the Rebekah Assembly in Portland this week. Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Edwards attended Wednesday and Mrs. Edwards received the degree of chivalry Wednesday evening.

CHARLES W. COLE

Charles W. Cole died Wednesday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Ernest Mason, at Locke Mills following an illness of several months. He was born at Greenwood, Dec. 15, 1856, the son of Elbridge and Arabelle Cole.

He married Betsy Jane Cummings, Dec. 1, 1879, and nine children were born to them, five of whom survive, Mrs. Ernest Mason, Mrs. Ruby Mason, Ernest and Archie Cole, all of Locke Mills and Nelson of Woodstock.

Funeral services will be held Saturday at 2 o'clock at Greenleaf's funeral home, with Rev. H. T. Wallace officiating. Interment will be at Hicks Cemetery, Greenwood.



JACKSON-SILVER UNIT No. 68

The Junior Unit held their regular meeting at Legion Home Oct. 8, with six members and the following visitors present. Mrs. Silas Keniston, Mrs. Roy Morgan, Mrs. Lloyd Fuller and Miss Phyllis Clifford.

President Maxine Clifford appointed a committee to sell hot dogs and cold drinks at the Al Ricker Show at the Town Hall Friday night, namely, Edith Keniston, Mary Dorian and Maxine Clifford.

Each member will invite one friend to attend the next meeting, Oct. 22, in Legion Hall.

Past Dept. Pres. Olive Tinkham, Mrs. Celia Lamb and Junior Chaplain Cathryn Cummings assisted the Dept. Membership Chairman on her radio program Oct. 11.

Three planes will participate in the Aerial Roundup Oct. 25 and 26. Members, please try to renew your membership in time for this early drive and meet one of the planes.

Second District Council meeting is in Rumford Oct. 18. Dept. Pres. Hilda Hatch is expected.

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THURSDAY, OCTOBER 16, 1941

In 1940 the President promised the American people he would keep them out of war and that no A. E. F. would be sent to Europe, Africa, or Asia. Until we have been furnished with concrete and conclusive proofs that the situation has so changed whereby the people themselves may be willing to change their existing opposition to war, the President should be compelled to abide by his contract with the people. Congress is still the instrument through which the people speak, and if the President has any reason for feeling that the Nation's welfare and safety is involved he must be made to abide by his oath of office and recognize that this is still a republican form of government.—Hon. Stephen A. Day of Illinois, in Congress, Sept. 4.

Oxford County Council is held in Dixfield this month Oct. 21.

Don't forget the benefit show Friday evening—Al Ricker and Co.

NAPOLEON OUELLETTE UNIT

Napoleon Ouellette Auxiliary held a regular meeting Oct. 14, with a large attendance. Miss Lovina Irish, president of the Unit, appointed the following committees:

Americanism, Flora Carrier; Child Welfare, Mary Welch; Community Service, Agnes Dorion; Constitution and By-Laws, Agnes Bradley; Education of War-Orphans, Agnes Bradley; Finance, Phyllis Mallett; Mary Welch, Reta Ruff; Legislation, Margaret Belliveau; Membership, Beatrice MacDonell; National Defense, Iola Greene; Publicity, Lottie M. Withee; Rehabilitation, Mary Welch; Junior Unit activities, Ethel Blake; Good Cheer, Florence Carrier; Ways and Means Chairman, Phyllis Mallett.

It has been reported that Past Commander of Franklin County Council Robert E. Mills of Phillips Post, A. L., a former member of Rumford Company B, is in the Veterans Hospital at Togus. Cards would be welcomed.

GEORGE A. MUNDT UNIT

A meeting of the American Legion Auxiliary was held at the Legion rooms Thursday, Oct. 9, at 8 p. m. Membership Committee reported 14 paid up members at that date with five new applications for membership presented by the President. New members are Mrs. Florence Holder and Mrs. Hilda Donahue of Gilead, Mrs. Marion Perry of West Bethel, Mrs. Leon Lurvey of Hanover and Mrs. Nellie Daye of Bethel.

These members will be initiated Oct. 23 at the Legion Rooms. Mrs. Jane Van Den Kerckhoven was appointed refreshment chairman for that evening.

Mrs. Henry Bennett gave her report on Waterford Fair that the Auxiliary cleared \$92 on their booth. Our President, Mrs. Mabel O'Brien reported that \$5.81 was cleared from Chamber of Com-

28% OF SELECTEES HAVE A CHANCE FOR ADVANCEMENT DURING FIRST YEAR IN ARMY

Advancement to the rank of commissioned or noncommissioned officer is in prospect for 28 per cent of all selectees in their first year of training, General James W. Hanson, State Director of Selective Service, said today.

On the basis of War Department reports, also, the Director pointed out, an additional large number of selectees who remain privates throughout their first 12 months of training will attain specialist ratings and substantial pay increases.

Already, the Director said, 94 men inducted through the Selective Service System are completing courses at Officer Candidate Schools, and it is planned that 62 per cent of the candidates in the next courses will be chosen from selectees.

The War Department estimates, Director Hanson asserted, that out of each 1,000 men 276 or approximately 28 per cent may reach commissioned, warrant officer or non-commissioned grades; 307 or approximately 31 per cent may reach the grade of first-class private with increased pay, which leaves 417 out of the thousand as privates, many of whom will receive specialist ratings and pay increases. Increased base pay for specialist ratings is over and above the \$10 a month additional pay for selectees serving more than one year.

MRS. AGNES PRATT

Mrs. Agnes Pratt died at her home on Pioneer Street, West Paris, Monday evening, after a long and painful illness. She was the daughter of John and Eveline Cushman Bicknell and was born in West Paris Jan. 6, 1866.

She married Charles Pratt, a conductor on the Grand Trunk Railroad and they resided in Portland until his death 30 years ago, when she returned to West Paris.

She is survived by a brother, J. Alton Bicknell, and a niece, Miss Agnes L. Gray, both of West Paris.

Funeral services were held from her late home Thursday afternoon, Rev. Eleanor B. Forbes officiating. Interment was in Wayside Cemetery.

It was announced that the Auxiliary has received honorable mention for the Colonial Study carried out during the spring.

It was voted to order poppies, also to buy a flag to present to Opportunity Farm school. It was also voted to send \$12 to State Department for Child Welfare work.

All members are urged to be in attendance for our next meeting Oct. 23 at Legion Rooms, 7:30 p. m. for initiation of new members.

GEORGE A. MUNDT POST No. 81

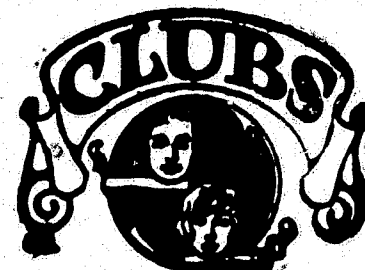
The community is again reminded not to forget to avail themselves of the opportunity to attend the First Aid class, which begins Friday night, Oct. 17, at 8 o'clock in the Legion rooms.

These classes will be held each Friday evening thereafter for 10 consecutive weeks. They are open to anyone of high school age or over, and are sponsored by the American Legion and Red Cross without cost to the individual. A class of 50 or more members is looked for. Sam Smith (chairman).

The George A. Mundt Post, No. 81, American Legion, of Bethel, held its regular meeting at the Legion rooms Tuesday evening, Oct. 14, 13 members being present, and one out-of-town visitor, Comrade Harry Taylor of Gilead. The committee appointed for the Legion supper Wednesday, Oct. 27, at the Legion rooms are: Sam Smith, Frank Smith, Philip Daye and Roy Moore.

It is urged that members of this Post make more effort to attend these meetings as important subjects are being brought up on National Defense and other items. Comrades, this is as much your work as it is the few who attend regularly. Don't be a slacker. Come up and do your share.

The next Oxford County Council meeting will be held Tuesday evening, Oct. 21st, at Dixfield. "Let's have a good turnout" at this meeting.



The N. J. F. Club met at the home of Marjorie Freeman, Tuesday evening. Nine were present at this meeting. The committee appointed to nominate officers for the year was Lydia Grover, Christie Knight and Roma Stanley. A "tramp supper" was planned for the next meeting, Oct. 28. After the club goes out begging from their unlucky neighbors they will meet at the Methodist Church. Lydia Grover and Arlene Brown will act as hostesses.

The W. S. C. S. met at the Methodist Church vestry last Thursday. Plans were discussed for the harvest supper Oct. 23 and Mrs. Earl Davis and Mrs. M. A. Gordon were appointed ticket committee. It was voted to get new shades for the dining room.

Bethel Lodge, No. 97, F. and A. M., met last Thursday evening. The master mason degree was conferred on one candidate. Floyd Mason was installed as District Deputy Grand Master of the 1th District by Past D. D. G. M. Clarence J. Perham of Jefferson Lodge, Bryant Pond. Visitors were present from Bryant Pond, West Paris and Waterford.

The Ladies' Club met last Thursday afternoon with Mrs. F. E. Hanscom. Mrs. Clarence Hall, Mrs. Ava Austin and Mrs. Elwood Ireland were appointed as membership committee. The program included a humorous reading by Miss Mary Soule, and an article on "The Life and Writings of Emily Dickinson" by Mrs. R. R. Tibbets. Mrs. Tibbets will be the hostess Oct. 23.

Installation of officers of Sunset, Rebekah Lodge was held on Monday evening of last week. The installing officer was D. D. P. Della Penley of West Paris, assisted by D. D. M. Elva Ring and suite. Officers installed were: N. G., Mrs. Minta Williams; V. G., Miss Elizabeth Lyon; Rec. Sec., Miss Maxine Clough; Fin. Sec., Miss Beatrice Brown; Treas., Miss Ida Packard; R. S. N. G., Miss Esther Burris; L. S. N. G., Mrs. Maude Hunt; R. S. V. G., Mrs. Fern Jordan; L. S. V. G., Mrs. Madeline Dudley; Warden, Mrs. Jordie Merrill; O. G., Mrs. Ferol Godwin; I. G., Miss Elizabeth Small; Chaplain, Mrs. Iva Hutchinson; Musician, Mrs. Eleanor Bean.

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Dark shadows in the face are usually a feature of snapshots of this type. A large white blotter, however, was used here to revert sunlight back into the shaded areas, avoiding harsh, contrasty lighting.

SHADOWS in photography can sometimes be used to deliberately improve a snapshot; other times they are troublesome. Probably you have taken outdoor portraits in sunlight in which you found extremely dark shadows below the brim of a hat, the nose, or the eyes. These, of course, you want to avoid, and there are several simple methods to correct this fault.

First, the use of reflectors, or some reflecting medium. These are quite easy to find; in fact, they may even be a natural part of a scene. For example, a snapshot of a person sitting near the side of a white house usually has soft transparent shadows so that you can easily see detail in the dark portions. Or a sheet of newspaper or large square of white blotter may be placed in such a manner that the light is reverted into the dark areas. This added illumination in the shadows makes the range of brightness more uniform with the result that "harsh" appearances are eliminated.

If no reflector is available, then a good outdoor informal portrait can easily be made by having the subject turn away from the sun so that the strong light comes well

from one side, or from behind. It's important with this type of lighting to time your exposure to record detail in the shadow side of the face.

Another simple solution is to place the subject where there is no bright sunlight—in the open shade—as on the shady side of a house under the open sky. In such a location, give about twice as much exposure as you would for the same type of snapshot made in bright sunlight.

Now for the other side of the question. It is not always advisable to soften shadows or avoid them. Long, interesting shadows are distinctively a feature of early morning or late afternoon scenes, and at these times their inclusion in a snapshot adds a quality of depth or third dimension.

Always study the shadows before you shoot. If you are snapping an informal portrait and think the shadows may be distracting in the finished print, try to soften them. If they have a definite place in the composition and will improve your picture, by all means be sure they are included.

John van Gulder

WEST BETHEL

100% in Spelling for past week; Grade II—Nancy Dupee, Richard Morgan, Patricia Rolfe; Grade IV—Burton Rolfe, Charles Smith; Grade V—Reginald Kneeland, Richard Rolfe; Grade VI—Marvin Kendall; Grade VIII—Ruth McNelis. Special work Maurice Coulombe, Zane Tibbetts.

Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Lord moved to Bethel Tuesday. Friday afternoon Mrs. Lord was given a surprise farewell party at her home here. Thirty-two ladies made up the party and games, stunts and singing were enjoyed. Mrs. Lord was presented a gift. Those at the party were: Mrs. Mary Abbott, Mrs. Vera McNelis, Mrs. Frances Bennett, Mrs. Doris Walker, Mrs. Lena Westleigh, Mrs. Helen Perkins, Mrs. Maggie Lowell, Mrs. Ella Hale, Mrs. Georgie Cushing, Mrs. Marion Perry, Mrs. Olive Head, Mrs. Libbie Kneeland, Mrs. Sarah Saunders, Mrs. Carl Bennett, Mrs. Ella Bennett, Mrs. Gladys Johnson, Mrs. Eva Burris, Mrs. Bertha Burris, Mrs. Clara Rolfe, Mrs. Clara Abbott, Mrs. Jean Morgan, Mrs. Jennie Hutchinson, Mrs. Nellie Stetson, Mrs. Sophie Comer, Mrs. Vitella Crosby, Mrs. Elizabeth Vashaw, Adaline Stetson, Mrs. Lona Gilbert and Mrs. Mabel Beyers.

Those unable to attend but contributing toward the gift were: Mrs. Nell Seabury, Mrs. Althea Morrill, Mrs. Margery Mason, Miss Esther Mason, Mrs. Ada Rolfe, Mrs. Ruby Rolfe, Mrs. Eleanor Lovejoy, Mrs. Angie Harding, Mrs. Josephine Kendall, Mrs. Ruth Grover, Miss Florice Grover, Miss Ha-

zel Grover, Mrs. Doris Burris, Mrs. Minnie Luxton, Mrs. Ruby Davis, Mrs. Bertha Jodrey, Mrs. Olive Lurvey, Mrs. Catherine Wilson, Mrs. Estella Goodridge, and Miss Elizabeth Small.

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Quoting THE BETHEL NEWS—
Week by Week History in 1901

OCT. 2, 1901

Newry Corner—The nearby town house is being repaired; there are new sills put in, some clapboarding done, and new floors will be laid shortly.

Hanover Mrs. Mary Ellingwood has been visiting friends. She is quite aged but retains her memory, relating incidents of the past. She attended school at Gould's Academy in 1836, when the school was taught by Prof. Randall.

OCT. 9, 1901

The New England telephone company placed a long distance telephone in the store of Hastings Bros. yesterday.

Barton Smith, who is teaching the Grammar school at Upton, came down Friday night on his wheel. On his return Saturday he unwisely put up for the night this side of the Notch instead of going on to Upton. Sunday morning two inches of snow was a little too much for good cycling, and Mr. Smith was obliged to hire a team to take him to his destination.

East Bethel—F. B. Howe is moving into his new house.

OCT. 16, 1901

The Standard Oil Company has its tank in position near the station and will be ready for business in the near future.

UPTON

Mrs. Bertha L. Judkins has returned from Norway for 10 days, bringing Mrs. Flora Cummings of Oxford, with her as guest.

Columbus Day brought many summer people into town for the week-end: Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Kenyon, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Messeroll of New Brunswick, N. J.; Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Tucker and friends of Needham, Mass.; Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hutchinson and family of Haverhill, Mass.

Georgia Barnett and Mr. Owen of Florida were overnight guests of Mrs. B. L. Judkins, recently. Albert Judkins of Fitchburg, Mass., was home over the week-end, bringing with him as guests, Mrs. Clayton Cadwell and son, Clayton Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Judkins celebrated the re-union of all their children at home for Sunday dinner Oct. 12. A few others were also present.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gauron of Haverhill, Mass., spent a few days of their honeymoon trip with Mr. and Mrs. William Barnett, recently.

Miss Bessie Casey has returned from the Rumford Community Hospital.

Miss Viola Barnett, much improved in health, returned to Stephens High School this week.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Lee Abbott have returned to their home in Bangor for a short time.

Mrs. Mary Hammond and children of Colebrook, N. H., visited relatives in town, Sunday.

Elwin Brown and two oldest sons, Elwin Jr. and Charlie, have gone to Wesley, Maine, to work and trap, taking their canoes with them.

The Older Young People held their meeting at the Ladies' Aid Building Wednesday of last week. Mrs. Eleanor Morton of North Newry gave a very interesting book review of the "Autobiography of Madame Curie." Games were played under the supervision of the hostess, Miss Elta Barnett of Upton. Later refreshments of cider and doughnuts were served.

Mrs. Mary Chase killed a bear recently. Mr. Chase took it to Boston, when he returned after a short visit here.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Allen have moved to their home in Errol as Mr. Allen has completed his duties as watchman on Mt. Spec.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Allen went to Rumford Sunday to carry Mrs. Averill home, after a few days' visit with her daughter, Mrs. Allen.

The regular P. T. A. meeting was held at the schoolhouse Tuesday evening, Oct. 14. Mrs. Bryant had charge of the program which consisted of lectures on "Youth Education and Training."

Fifteen members and one visitor were present at the regular Grange meeting last Saturday evening.

4-H Club was held at Mrs. Ban Barnett's home Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Ban Barnett and Mrs. James Barnett went to Somerville, Mass., to attend the funeral of a relative, last week.

WATERFORD

Mrs. Minnie Murr has been visiting her daughter and family in Auburn.

Kenneth Runyan has been in New Jersey for several weeks.

Corporal Larry Rounds of Fort Devens is on a five day furlough at his home here.

Guy Dudley and his mother are on a trip to Millinocket.

F. H. Morse is ill at his home.

Miss Ella Rice has gone to Mars Hill, where she is teaching.

Miss Helen Stevens is at the Maine General Hospital for observation.

Rev. and Mrs. Deane Hodges and Danny have returned from their vacation.

Mrs. Grace Wood and Mrs. Lawrence Wood have been visiting at Sanford.

Ober Kimball and two sons have been staying at the old Kimball farm for a while.

Many people from this town are having the mumps.

A large crew of men are clearing the way for the new electric light line.

NORTH NEWRY

Mr. and Mrs. Hartley Hanscom were called to Newport, N. H., Saturday by the sudden death of Mr. Hanscom's aunt, Mrs. George Willson.

Mrs. Rena Foster and Miss Carrie Wight were week end guests at F. W. Wights'.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Wight and daughter, Elizabeth, with Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Holt attended a Grange meeting at Farmington, Wednesday evening where Elizabeth and 11 others from Bear River Grange received the State Degree.

Roger Hanscom has traded his Ford for a 1936 Chevrolet.

Mr. and Mrs. George Wight of Framingham, Mass., are visiting at Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Wight's.

Quite a number from here attended the freshmen reception at Gould, Friday night.

On account of rain the Home Guard failed to show up at Newry Sunday for drill and the baked bean dinner.

BEAR RIVER GRANGE

Bear River Grange enjoyed a program put on by the Home and Community Welfare committee, Saturday night, following a six o'clock supper.

First, singing by all, "Home Sweet Home"

Poem, "It Takes a Heap of Living to Make a House a Home," Edgar A. Guest, Read by Ida Wight

Paper, What constitutes a real home? by Addie Saunders

Inst. Music, Scarborough family with encore

Remarks on Home and Community Welfare Work.

By Susan Wight, State Comm. Tab. "Bear River Grange"

Song, "Tramp, Tramp, Tramp" by Grange

Tab., "Industry and Improvement" F. W. Wight, E. E. Bennett, C. F. Saunders

Roll Call. Each member naming one thing that makes a happy home

Miss Edith Walsh, home demonstration agent was introduced, who gave a talk on "Civilian Defense."

Song, "Work for The Night is Coming," By All

Tab., "Grange Interest, Amy Bennett Reading Nat. G. Monthly

Reading of National Master T. J. Tabor's address. By W. L.

It was voted to have a harvest dance. Committee, C. F. Saunders, E. L. Holt, L. E. Wight.

WEST PARIS

Miss Ellen Stearns of Beverly, Mass., and Miss Inez Briggs of Cape Cod, Mass., visited relatives here over the week-end.

Mt. Abram Fish and Game Association met at Grange Hall Tuesday evening. After the business meeting pictures of the Canadian Rockies were shown by G. A. Harrison, general passenger ticket agent of the Canadian National Railroad. The ladies of the Universalist Church served a chicken pie supper.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rollins of Springfield, Mass., spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Mayhew.

Mrs. Esther Rich is visiting her sister, Mrs. Sadie Chassie, at Fairhaven, Mass.

Miss Eleanor Rich is spending a vacation at Portland.

GOULD ACADEMY

The class officers for the year 1941-1942 have been elected as follows:

Seniors: President, Fremont Ireland; Vice-President, Herbertina Norton; Secretary, Muriel Bean; Treasurer, Virgil Adams.

Juniors: President, Glendon McAlister; Vice-President, Nora Chipman; Secretary, Louisa Bacon; Treasurer, Robert Golderman.

Sophomores: President, James Reid; Vice-President, Barbara Coolidge; Secretary, Gilbert LeClair; Treasurer, Francis Berry.

Freshmen: President, Archie Young; Vice-President, Mary Gibbs; Secretary, Katharine Kellogg; Treasurer, Richard Bryant.

The Freshman class colors chosen was royal blue and white, and their class motto, "Facta, Non Verba (Deeds, not words)."

Elections for Student Council were held last week. The following students have been chosen to represent their class for 1941-1942:

Seniors, William Robertson and Emma Blake; Juniors, Richard Jordan and Alice Bennett; Sophomores, Francis Berry and Carol Robertson; Freshmen, Stanley Bean.

The committees appointed for the Freshman Reception are: Decoration, Fremont Ireland, Alzena Lord, Herbertina Norton, Oliver Morton, Elmer Runyon, and Elizabeth Runyon. Refreshment, Hope Bean, Emma Blake, William Robertson and Milton Cameron. Invitation, Muriel Bean and Elizabeth Gorman. Program, Barbara Luxton, Susie Lovejoy and Ruth Bean. Clean-Up, Edward Bean, Janet Smith, Rachel Field, Barbara Linnett, and Seabury Short.

The following students were chosen as representatives to the girls' dormitory council: Seniors, Janet Smith and Frances Holmes; Juniors, Harriett Holmes and Nora Chipman; Sophomores, Anna Aldrich and Mary Louise Hamilton; Freshman, Mary Sue Adams.

The students chosen for the boys' dormitory council were: Seniors, Whipple Abbe and Elmer Runyon; Junior, Robert Golderman; Sophomore, David Hawkins; Freshman, Robert Sawyer.

The representatives to the general council from the dormitories were Janet Smith, Harriett Holmes, Elmer Runyon, and Whipple Abbe.

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SYNOPSIS

CHAPTER I—Six men traveled the Bougamau trail in the wilds of northern Canada. Six men died. They were reported drowned in the rapids. Mutilated things, Garry Finlay, whose brother Bob was one of the six, Red Malone, a half-breed guide, in the face of the surveyors, arrive to investigate the deaths. Finlay had received an anonymous letter declaring that the men were murdered. There is a suspicion that Isadore, big fur man, has made an important gold strike in the Waswanipi country and will stop at nothing to keep prospectors out.

CHAPTER II—The inhabitants are in terror of Isadore and his right-hand man, Tete-Blanche.

CHAPTER III—On the second day out, as they had safely passed the worst of the rapids, the three investigators were ambushed from shore. Garry and Blaise were slightly wounded.

CHAPTER IV—From Indians Blaise learned ten days later that there is a "bird" from the south, and that there is talk that three men perished in the Notaway.

CHAPTER V—Finlay and Malone visit Isadore in his magnificent home. A slay attempt to poison them is frustrated by a clever trick by Malone.

CHAPTER VI—Wabistan, chief of the Montagnais, tells Finlay that the six men lost their lives on the Waswanipi where shot, and talks of a "bird" that makes a loud noise.

CHAPTER VII—Wabistan shows Finlay the grave of his brother Bob. Garry notices the remains and notes the absence of a ring that Bob always wore. Garry learns that Tete-Blanche is hunting him.

CHAPTER VIII—The Indians have been stirred up to believe that the surveyors' transit is an "evil eye" that is causing sickness among their children. Finlay gets a note from Lise, daughter of Isadore, with whom he has fallen in love, imploring him to help her escape from Isadore, whom she fears. Garry has a decoy.

CHAPTER IX—Garry meets Lise in response to her appeal. He is surrounded and knocked unconscious by Isadore's men after killing three of them.

CHAPTER X—Garry recovers consciousness, tied to a tree and suffering from insect bites. The dog, Flame, chews through the leather thong and releases him. Later he is found by Malone and Blaise.

CHAPTER XI—Finlay receives a note from Lise protesting her innocence of the ambush, and warning him that his depends upon his leaving the country in haste.

CHAPTER XII—The three men visit the Hudson's Bay post, and meet the trader, McNab, tell him of their mission, and that they really are Northwest Mounted police. Malone falls in love with Thelma McNab.

CHAPTER XIII—Finlay, Malone and Blaise hide in the loft when Isadore arrives at the post. They overhear him offer stock in his company in return for his help in misleading the police.

CHAPTER XIV

Two days later the canoe had passed through Lake Olga of the chain of large lakes and was on the Quiet Water below the Montagnais camp on the island.

"There's the top-stick spruce David told us to look for!" announced Finlay. On a distant point stood a tall spruce trimmed of its lower branches, a "top-stick," in use from Labrador to Alaska to mark a grave, honor a man or event or serve as a landmark to travelers.

"Ah-hah! David say dat chain of lake lie a mile south of here," said Blaise. "We portage to de lake and pass round de Indian waltin' on de river, den follow outlet of lake to Waswanipi."

"It's going to be tough packing through this thick bush but it beats being shot out of the canoe," said Red. "Isadore must be with them by now, waiting for us."

In the morning they started packing the canoe and provisions through the spruce, tamarack and Jack-pine, spotted with hardwood, to David's chain of lakes.

Blazing a trail as he traveled, Blaise had reached the first lake with a backload and was returning to pack the canoe through with Finlay when he met the sweating Red bowed under three bags of flour.

"Wat make your face so red?" teased Blaise.

Malone scowled past the head-strap of his tump-line at the grinning Brassard. "My face is red because I'm ashamed of the boy's load you look over. You had hardly two hundred, you invalid!"

"I cut trail wid load on my back.

I have to see to use de axe. Dose t'ree bag you got go two hunder seventeen, ah-hah! but dey carry easy affair I make trail for you, little fallar."

"Step aside, boy, and watch a man work!" grunted Red. "Where's the lake?"

"Just a little piece!"

Red went on and shortly saw water shimmering through the trees. He was close to the shore when he heard a movement ahead of him in hardwood scrub.

Porcupine, likely, he thought, and kept on.

Then dry twigs snapped in front of him. He lifted his head and looked. Taking deliberate aim with his rifle stood an Indian. Malone pivoted on his heels. With a twist of his head and lift of his shoulders he dropped his backload as the Indian fired. There was a thud as the bullet struck the rolling top bag. With a lunge Red was buried deep in a clump of small fir.

The windless forest vibrated with silence. The Indian who had fired on him could not be far but the brush was so thick he could see nothing. So Red decided to stalk him. With his heavy pistol in his teeth he hunched foot by foot on his elbows until his range of vision had increased to twenty yards.

Around him lances of sunlight thrust through the treetops splashing the underbrush with gold. Still the bush was as soundless as a vacuum. Then a squirrel chattered from somewhere in front and Red smiled. "Ah, there you are!"

He wormed along in the direction of the sound. Then he stiffened suddenly where he lay. Back in the forest rose the guttural "crack-crack!" of the northern raven. Red's eyes snapped as he nodded his head. Shortly the croaking was followed by a dismal "kooer-kooer!"

"Montagnais, say your prayers!" chuckled Malone. "There's a carajou hunting you! That was no raven! That was Blaise's signal!"

Again Red inched his way through young fir and hardwood. But he saw nothing. How many Indians were waiting for him to make a false move he could not guess. His quick eyes stabbed the circling bush as he held his breath.

Once more the "kooer-kooer!" of the raven startled the forest—much nearer now and followed by a metallic "klunk!"

But Red could not answer. He was too close to deceive Indian ears. So he waited. Shortly the "ca-ca-ca!" of a whiskey-jack rose directly in front of him to be answered from a short distance.

"They're growing nervous! They don't like that old raven moving in on their rear. He's got them guessing. If I could only get a shot, I'd start a stampede." But Red's eyes, lancing the undergrowth, found no target.

Then, from deep in the forest drifted the familiar yelp of the airedale on a rabbit trail. Flame and Garry! Sweat burst from Red's brow. They must be warned!

There was a sudden movement in the bush. Red lifted his head to catch the fluttering of young fir tops as a dark shape moved through. Once, twice, the .45 roared. Two rifles crashed back in reply. Twigs flew from the saplings where Malone had knelt. But he was already yards away under new cover.

"Thank God! That will stop Garry!" he panted. "There're three of them, at least, but they're worried. When Flame shows up there'll be a circus."

Again the "crack-crack!" of the raven bludgeoned the silence. Nearer now. For a space the stillness beat painfully on Malone's eardrums as he lay nursing his pistol. Then, in the soundless forest lifted a scream that was cut off short as if steel jaws had clamped on a throat.

Red heard a movement in the brush and, rising, saw a disappearing shape. He fired; fired again. There was the "brang!" of a Lee-

Enfield, the savage challenge of Flame, then the muffled snarls of a dog closing with his enemy; right-ened cries mingling with Garry's commands: "No, Flame! Let him up. Let go, Flame!"

Malone thrashed back into the bush to find Finlay holding the mad-dened airedale away from a young Indian sprawled on the ground.

"You're all right, Red? They didn't hit you?" cried Garry. "Flame had this boy down when I reached him!"

Nursing his bitten arm, the young Montagnais lifted frightened eyes to the giant who glared down at him. "It's all right!" soothed Garry. "We won't hurt you!"

"Where's Blaise?" demanded Red. "I didn't get a clean shot but I was afraid you'd walk into them, so fired anyway to warn you. How many were there?"

"This one and two others, I think," replied Finlay, lashing Flame to a tree and starting to examine the shaking boy who watched him with the eyes of a dog.

"Where are you, Blaise?" called Malone. "What was that yell?" Red found Blaise beside a limp shape in the brush.

"Ah-hah!" Brassard was studying the grimacing face from which glazed eyes stared at the sunlit tree tops.

"Recognize him?"

"Ah-hah! We see heem at de island at head of lake."

"He'll drink no more of Tete-Blanche's whiskey. What was that scream?"

Brassard opened and closed his steel fingers in a significant gesture. "Dat fallar run into de old raven." The slits of eyes in his granite face glittered. "De raven squeeze him wid his claw."

"Pity it wasn't Batoche or Tete-Blanche!"

Garry bandaged the boy's lacerated arm, while Blaise assured him in Cree that he was safe. Slowly recovering from his terror the fifteen year old lad told Brassard his story



"I can't let you go, Red!"

In Montagnais. He had been forced by his older brothers to join the party Tete-Blanche had sent to block the Quiet Water. They had decided that it was a bank beaver they had heard the night they fired on the Peterboro but Isadore had returned from Matagami the day before and had doubled the night guard on the river. He, Joe Patamish, and the two men lying there in the scrub had packed the canoe to the lake that morning to hunt moose. When they saw freshly cut birch on the shore, they had landed and found Brassard's bags and footprints. So they had decided to ambush the next man over the trail. Patamish had no gun. They had brought him to help carry the meat and the canoe. He had nothing against these white men and wanted to run away. But his companions had threatened to shoot him if he didn't stay. When the firing began he had started to run but the dog had pulled him down.

"Ask him if he believes we've stekened the children with the evil eye as Kinebik says," suggested Garry.

The boy's black eyes glanced at his carefully bandaged arm, then lifted to the faces of the white men and his keen face lighted in a smile. "No," he said to Blaise, "this white man saved me from his

dog and bound my arm. He would not sicken children."

"That's the lad, Joe Patamish!" applauded Finlay. "There are brains under that mop of hair. Tell him, Blaise, he's going with us but until we're sure he won't run away, we'll have to tie him up. This kid is going to be useful."

"He'll be very useful," he added. "Now let's get the canoe and the rest of our stuff across this carry."

But the boy had not finished his story. As he talked the furrows cut deep into Blaise's face.

He made a clicking sound with his tongue as he gravely shook his head. "What does he say?" demanded Garry.

"Dere was big fight at de island! Chief Wabistan kech Kinebik and Tete-Blanche wid whiskey for Montagnais. Michel Wabistan and two odders was shot. Der is moch trouble for Chief Wabistan."

"Poor Michel!" said Finlay. "He was a good boy! Well, Mr. Isadore, you're rolling up the score against yourself!"

"Joe Patamish say, al-so," continued Blaise. "dat Kinebik make big medicine w'en de August moon is round."

"Red, we'll be there! Now, men, let's get going!"

Through the following night three silent men pushed the Peterboro up Waswanipi bound for their rendezvous with Chief Wabistan.

Malone, whose invincible optimism tolerated no thought of defeat, was deep in dreams of a red-gold head and a pair of laughing eyes back at Matagami.

But as their maple blades put mile after mile of the sleeping lake behind them, in the harassed brains of Finlay and Blaise there was small hope of winning out as only through some miracle of chance could they hope to checkmate the red hunters inflamed by Tete-Blanche's whiskey and Kinebik's magic.

Joe Patamish had told them that most of the young men had left the fishing camps and joined Kinebik's crusade to save the children. Only a handful of Wabistan's relatives and friends had rallied around the chief. And Finlay realized, bitterly, that if he should manage to hang on until the arrival of the police plane, he would be no nearer his goal. He had come to find the men responsible for the disappearance of Bob Finlay and the others. He had found them but he still had no legal proof of their guilt. And how, with the Montagnais out of control, could he hope to arrest and hold Isadore and Tete-Blanche even for breach of the Indian whiskey law? They'd laugh at him, wipe out his party and disappear, as McNab said, into the musk of the Bitter Water. In his message to headquarters he had asked for a police plane by September first to carry his prisoners south. That plane would arrive too late. Sergeant Garrett Finlay and Constable Malone would then be beyond need of help. And Lise! What would happen to the girl he had promised to see safe at Matagami—who had stormed into his heart that day on the beach? He choked back a groan as he thought of the love that had come so strangely into his life. What would become of Lise?

They slept all day hidden in the timber of the point where Wabistan was to meet them. That night a canoe slid into the beach. Finlay took the old man's bony hand.

"You have lost your son. I am sad," Garry said.

"My son and my people have left me! The heart of Wabistan is sick. Now his knife is sharp like an eagle's beak. His gun is loaded."

"You must eat first," said Finlay, "then let us talk over our pipes beside the fire which is hidden from the lake."

As they ate Moise Wabistan and his father gave to Blaise in their native tongue the story of their finding Tete-Blanche and Kinebik at a Montagnais camp and of the fight that followed.

"Dey say," interpreted Blaise, "de Montagnais was drunk and would not listen w'en dey tell dem Kinebik was a wise shaman and work for Isadore. De ole chief start for Kinebik wid his knife! Tete-Blanche shoot Michel and dere was ver' bad time. Dere was too many man for Wabistan and his fre'n to fight and dey leave."

When Blaise had given the Indians the details of the trip to Matagami, Wabistan said in Montagnais: "You are brave men but foolish to come back. Some night they will find you and you will die in your sleep. What can three do against so many?"

There was silence while light from the flickering fire touched the faces of the five men and danced on the velvet blackness of the spruce. Finlay took his pipe from his mouth and leaned forward to catch the chief's gloomy eyes.

"When Kinebik sets up his medicine tent in the round of the moon," Finlay said, "we shall be there to listen, you and I. When the thunder sounds in the skies and the plane comes from the north we shall still be there to see."

Blaise interpreted to the listening Indian.

"So you have heard of the flying canoe that comes from the North this moon?" said the old man.

"Yes, I have heard. Why does it come?"

"Never in the Moon when the Birds fly after the Moul't will Isadore have Montagnais at the post. It is a great secret, the coming of this canoe of the skies."

"What do you think it brings?" demanded Finlay.

"How can I tell? When it comes only Isadore and Tete-Blanche go to it in a canoe."

"How many men come in this plane?"

"Once we hid on the island and watched. One man comes and, in three sleeps, one man goes away south."

Red's puzzled eyes met Finlay's.

"Well, the only way we'll solve this mystery will be to board her when she shows up," said Garry.

—To Be Continued Next Week—

PROBATE APPOINTMENTS

The following subscribers hereby give notice that they have received the appointments as indicated from the Probate Court of Oxford County. All persons having demands against the estates represented by them are desired to present the same for settlement and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately:—

Sumner G. Bean, late of Albany Township, deceased; Cora Sawin of Bethel and Ada O. Lord of Paris, executrices without bond. Sept. 16, 1941.

James W. Bucknam, late of Avon, Massachusetts, deceased; Perley W. Churchill of Berlin, New Hampshire, executor with bond. Gerard S. Williams of Bethel, Agent in Maine. Aug. 26, 1941.

William R. Day, late of Bethel, deceased; Gerard S. Williams of Bethel, Administrator without bond. Aug. 26, 1941.

Bertha I. Williamson, late of Bethel, deceased; Earl S. Williamson of Bethel, Executor without bond. Sept. 16, 1941.

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STATE OF MAINE

To all persons interested in either of the Estates hereinafter named:

At a Probate Court, held at Paris in and for the County of Oxford, on the third Tuesday of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and forty-one, from day to day from the third Tuesday of said September. The following matters having been presented for the action thereupon hereinafter indicated, it is hereby Ordered:

That notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Oxford County Citizen a newspaper published at Bethel, in said County, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at said Paris on the third Tuesday of October, A. D. 1941, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, and be heard thereon if they see cause.

Marian True Gehring, late of Bethel, deceased; Resignation of George B. Farnsworth as Trustee under the Will of said deceased for the benefit of Lillian True Bryant, et als., and Petition for the appointment of the First Portland National Bank of Portland, Cumberland County, State of Maine, as successor trustee, presented by the said George B. Farnsworth.

Philip E. Holt, late of Bethel, deceased; Petition for the appointment of Susie Holt as administratrix of the estate of said deceased, without bond, presented by Susie E. Holt, mother.

Witness, Albert J. Stearns, Judge of said Court at Paris, this third Tuesday of September in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and forty-one.

42 EARLE R. CLIFFORD, Register.

BRYANT POND

BIRTHDAY CLUB TO ELECT

The Star Birthday club will meet Thursday afternoon in the town hall. Annual reports will be given and election of officers for the ensuing year will be held. The hostesses are Mrs. Stella Bacon, Mrs. Verdie Crocker, Mrs. Melva Willard, Mrs. Gertrude Redman and Mrs. Martha Dudley will serve for her daughter, Mrs. Marguerite Ervin. The annual harvest supper and sale of the Ladies' Aid of the Baptist church will be held Wednesday evening. The sale and auction will be at the Town Hall with Mrs. Flossie Twitchell, South Woodstock, Mrs. Flora Cole, Mrs. Bessie Andrews, Rowe Hill and Mrs. Miriam McAllister, Village, serving as solicitor and collector. Supper will be served at 6 o'clock at the grange hall by the following committee: Mrs. Annie Morgan, Mrs. Elsie Bryant, Mrs. Flossie Twitchell, Mrs. Bessie Andrews and Mrs. Luella Mills.

Red Cross Annual Meeting

The annual meeting of the Bryant Pond Branch of the Southern District Oxford County, Red Cross, was held Friday evening in the Town Hall with thirty-two present. Reports of work accomplished were given by Mrs. Stella Bacon, secretary. Reports of work planned for first aid instructors, Mrs. Bertha Davis, Mrs. Annie Crockett, Lawrence Jordan, Clayton Ring and Mrs. Addelyn Mann. Report of regional meeting held at Poland Springs, by Mrs. Mann and an informal talk on the different branches of work in the Red Cross by Mrs. Amy Hubbard, chairman of the Southern Oxford Chapter. Mrs. Hubbard answered questions to help members understand the work of the A. R. C. Officers elected were: Chairman, Abner H. Mann; Vice chairman, Abby E. Dudley; secretary, Mrs. Stella B. Bacon; treasurer, T. Walter Gordon; home service chairman, Mrs. Abby Dudley; roll call chairman, Mrs. Cleo Billings; remarks on the work of the home guard, Rev. James MacKillop. The meeting was preceded by a covered dish supper at 6:30 o'clock in charge of Mrs. Ruth Tyler, Mrs. Cleo Billings and Mrs. Mann.

The women employed by the Stowell Silk Spool Co., held their annual oyster stew supper, Thursday evening, October the 10th, in the Noyes hall. Following supper a social evening of stunts and games were enjoyed. Those present were Mrs. Harold Dunlop, Mrs. Oscar Johnson, Mrs. James Farrar, Mrs. Harold Tyler, Mrs. Carroll Farnum, Mrs. Ashburn Ladd, Mrs. Raymond Langway, Mrs. Winfield Noyes, Mrs. Richard Scott, Mrs. Stanley DeShon, Miss Velma Cummings,

SCHOOL DAYS

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Miss Margaret Howe, Miss Mona Twitchell and the Misses Edith and Clara Whitman.

Miss Dorothea Billings of Portland was the week end guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Billings.

Miss June Eckert, who has spent several weeks at the home of Rev. and Mrs. James MacKillop, returned to her home Tuesday at Huntington, Long Island, New York. Miss Eckert is a sister of Howard MacKillop and has made many friends while here.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Fuller were in Rumford Saturday night. Davine Marble and Doris Ferren visited them over the week end and holiday.

Miss Ardella Fuller and Mr. and Mrs. Owen Richards and daughter of Bath were recent callers at Fuller's.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Craswell, Miss Myrtle A. Bacon and brother, Ralph Bacon, of Boston, Mass., were at Joy Cottage for the week end and holiday. Mr. Craswell showed very interesting moving pictures to groups of friends taken by him at Bryant Pond, also others made on a trip down the St. Lawrence River and around the Gaspé Peninsula.

Mrs. Bertha Houghton and William Young of Somerville, Mass., spent the week end in town.

Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Billings, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bowker and Dr. and Mrs. F. E. Smalley are away on a two weeks hunting trip in northern Maine.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Andrews and Postmaster Lee M. Rowe and wife spent a few days in Montreat last week, returning home the first of this week.

Mrs. Inez Whitman, Mrs. Vera Swan and the Misses Edith and Clara Whitman were in Norway Saturday night.

Miss Arlene Swan spent the week end in Rumford as guest of her friend, Miss Barbara Coffin.

Miss Barbara Coffin, of Rumford spent Sunday night and Monday with Arlene and Kenneth Swan.

WEST GREENWOOD

Jack McBride of Gilead papered a room for Alden Wilson, recently. Mrs. Paul Croteau was in Gorham, N. H., Thursday on business.

Schools are closed for a week on account of scarlet fever.

Perlie and Parker Raimey are helping Paul Croteau cut pine.

Mrs. Paul Croteau is employed at Saunderson's Mill at Bethel.

LOCKE MILLS

Wilbur Swan is having a cottage built on the shore of Round Pond. He has sold his home here to E. L. Dunham of Rowe Hill.

Miss Margaret Sprague has completed her duties at the home of

E. T. Roberts and is boarding with Mrs. Herman Cummings and working in the mill.

Mrs. Hannah Coolidge is spending two weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Davis at Bethel.

Zenas Morse of Norway was in town, Saturday.

BETHEL BUILDERS AND BOOSTERS

ANOTHER SHIPMENT OF ROOFING

Arrived Monday Morning.

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FOR LUNCH

AFTER THE SHOW

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wardwell of Albany were recent guests at Cecil Kimball's.

Miss Mildred Churchill of Mechanic Falls is visiting with her sister, Mrs. Donald Tebbets.

Mrs. Ella Cole is with her daughter, Mrs. Bertha Hutchinson, at Bethel at the present.

Mr. and Mrs. Zenas Mills and son, Ray, of Albany were at Lee Mills, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Tirrell and family visited Mrs. Tirrell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dana Berry at Gorham, N. H., recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Flanders and family of St. Johnsbury, Vt., visited with Mr. and Mrs. George Flanders recently.

Mrs. Clark Morse and family of North Newry and Mr. and Mrs. Orlando Jordan and family visited with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jordan, Sunday.

Miss Eva Richardson of Boston Mass., visited her sister, Mrs. Ida Rowe, over the week end. Mrs. Louise Buck of Rumford Center and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Sawyer of Mechanic Falls.

Robert Kirk of Norway was in town Sunday.

Mrs. Florence Kimball has returned home after visiting relatives in Dorchester, Mass.

Miss Evelyn Kimball was at home from Gorham Normal School for the week end.

Mrs. Ansel Jordan has been ill.

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MISCELLANEOUS

PIANO TUNING—H. L. White will be in Bethel early in November. Orders with F. J. TYLER or write BOX 6 AUBURN

FIREARMS, AMMUNITION and Trappers' Supplies bought, sold and exchanged. Before prices advance purchase from H. I. BEAN, Bethel, Me., dealer in Raw Furs and Deer Skins. 24tf

DEFENSE BOND QUIZ

Q. Has the Government set a quota to be raised through the sales of Defense Savings Bonds?

A. No; there is no quota and no time limit. The Defense Savings Program is to be continuing effort, and both Defense Bonds and Stamps should be purchased steadily and regularly.

Q. Why were the Nation's retail stores asked to sell Defense Savings Stamps?

A. American retailers were not asked—they volunteered through their national organizations to undertake the sale of Defense Savings Stamps on a vast scale.

Q. How many Defense Savings Stamps does it take to fill an album?

A. Seventy-five 25-cent stamps; seventy-five 50-cent stamps; or fifteen 35 stamps. The completed albums are immediately exchangeable for Defense Bonds (Series E) at your post office, or through your bank.

Q. Who directs the National movement to sell Defense Savings Stamps in retail stores?

A. The Treasury's Retail Advisory Committee, of which Benjamin H. Harris, of the National Retail Dry Goods Association, is chairman. Officers of 13 other great national retail organizations comprise the committee.

Note.—To buy Defense Bonds and Stamps, go to the nearest post office, bank, or savings and loan association; or write to the Treasurer of the United States, Washington, D. C. Also Stamps now are on sale at most retail stores.

BENNETT-THAYER

At St. James' rectory at 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon, October 11, Miss Phyllis Bennett, daughter of Will C. Bennett of Haddon, Maine, formerly of Gilead, became the bride of George Aylward Thayer, son of Charles T. Thayer, of Norwich. They were united in marriage by Rev. Frederick Milos, M. S.

Miss Katherine Tillinghast of Putnam, sister of the groom, was bridesmaid and James C. Brown of Elmville, best man.

The bride was exceedingly attractive in a gown of silk illusion with rose point lace and designed with a sweetheart neck and long classic sleeves over taffeta. Her finger-tip veil was draped from a halo of orange blossoms and her bouquet was of brides roses.

The bridesmaid's gown was of bronze taffeta, her hat a small feathered model to harmonize and her bouquet of talisman roses.

Following the wedding there was a reception in honor of the bride and groom at the home of his aunt, Mrs. William Fenner Woodward, of 36 Broad Street. Mr. and Mrs. Thayer were showered with congratulations and good wishes. A buffet luncheon was served.

Late in the afternoon the bride and groom left for their honeymoon to an unannounced destination. For going away Mrs. Thayer wore a beige suit with brown hat and accessories. On their return they will occupy a newly furnished apartment on Potter Street.

The bride, who received a wealth of handsome and useful gifts, is a registered nurse and until her recent resignation, a member of the nursing staff at the Windham Community Memorial Hospital in Willimantic. The groom is employed at the plant of the Danielson Manufacturing Company in Elmville.

Members of the bride's family who attended the wedding were her father of Haddon, Me., and her sisters, Mrs. Gerald Cushing of Haddon, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Cross, Bethel, Me., and Mrs. Thomas Vashaw, Berlin N. H.

DEFENSE SAVING 116% AHEAD OF LAST YEAR

Series E Defense Savings Bond sales during five months of 1941 are 116 per cent ahead of sales in the corresponding 1940 period of Series D, or "baby" bonds, an almost identical security also intended for small investors.

Of the \$1,504,411,000 total Defense Savings Bond receipts since last May, when the Treasury's voluntary savings program was started, Series E Bonds account for \$571,216,706, or 38 per cent.

Returns on Series E Bonds for five months show a continuous increase over those for Series D from May through September 1940. In May the increase was 64 per cent. In June this rate doubled, going to 138 per cent in August and to 144 per cent in September.

The comparison between Series E and Series D sales follows: Series D 1940 Series E 1941 Increase
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July 65,838,577 145,274,371 120.6 %
Aug. 49,411,194 117,603,368 138 %
Sept. 43,142,160 105,240,822 144 %

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HUNT'S CORNER

Gordon Bennett, Lilla and Edith Stearns were in Berlin, N. H., last Saturday.

Joseph LeRoque has finished work at the pumping station and returned to Lewiston.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Nutting and son, Russell, of Bethel were callers at Gordon Bennett's and Olive Little's, Sunday afternoon.

Fred Scribner of South Paris was at his farm here one day last week.

Workmen have been cleaning up the brush on the pipe line right of way the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Bennett were in Bethel last Saturday evening.

HARVEST SUPPER

AT METHODIST CHURCH

THURSDAY, OCT. 22, 6:15 p. m.

Adults 40c Children 25c

CENTER LOVELL

Vivian Hodsdon has finished work at Ted Allen's. His sister, Marguerite Rouse, is taking her place.

Judge and Mrs. F. W. Dallenger have returned to New York for the winter. Their son, Bill Dallenger, and wife took them, and will remain for a short visit.

Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Hatch of West Roxbury, Mass., are at their home here for a week.

The John Sargents have closed Farrington's Hotel for the winter, and are living in their cottage on Lovewell's Pond, Fryeburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Wilkinson and Lois have gone to St. Louis, Mo., where he has work for the winter.

The Purringtons have closed their store for the winter, and expect to spend several months in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Erving Stanley of South Paris called on his mother, Mrs. Lill Stanley, at S. H. McAlister's, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Milliken are having a week's vacation from their work on Eastman Hill.

Hilton McAlister and Charles called on his grandmother, Mrs. Ella Smith, Monday.

Stanley Milliken and family have moved from the farm to the former Mell Eastman house on Eastman Hill. Mr. and Mrs. Rodolph McAlister have moved to the farm.

MIDDLE INTERVALE

Archie Buck and family of Portland spent Sunday with his mother, Leona Buck.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Johnson and family spent the week end with Mrs. Johnson's mother, Verna Carter. Mrs. Carter returned with them as far as Auburn, where she is staying with her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenwood Newell and little son and 3 nephews were at Frank Osgood's, Sunday.

Elizabeth Mason was home over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Gunther and family and Charles Eames went around the White Mountains Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Swan spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carey Stevens.

Mrs. J. H. Carter came Saturday to spend a few days at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Richards Stevens were in Albany, Sunday, calling on her folks.

Ronald Stevens and family moved into their new house, Sunday.

Lawrence Kimball and family spent the week end at their home here.

Frank Osgood spent the week end at Bethel.

ALBANY TOWN HOUSE

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Andrews attended the Hamlin auction at So. Waterford, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Andrews and children called at Harlan Bumpus', Sunday afternoon.

Wallace Cummings attended the Church Service at Stoneham, Sunday.

Earl Keniston spent the week end at his grandparents', Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Andrews'.

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CHURCH ACTIVITIES

Sunday, October 19

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
Rev. Herbert T. Wallace, Minister
9:30 a. m. Sunday School—if permission is given by the Health Officer. Watch for further announcement.

11:00 a. m. Morning worship. A Harvest-Home service. The Church will be appropriately decorated. Sermon subject, "The Circling Year." Special music.

6:30 p. m. Pilgrim Fellowship. The Men of the Church will serve a MEN'S SUPPER to all their friends and members of the Parish (everybody is of course invited) on Friday evening, the 24th of this month. Chicken-Pie, to be sure. An entertainment after supper. The tickets will be 50c, plus the 5c tax recently levied, if that be found applicable to this supper. The tickets will be strictly limited in number, so be wise and get them early.

METHODIST CHURCH

M. A. Gordon, pastor
9:45 Church School. Mrs. Leona Swan, supt. Children's department omitted.

11:00 Sunday morning worship. Special singing by Church Choir. Mrs. Mildred Lyon, organist and director. Subject of sermon, "The Government by Principle."

6:30 Epworth League and evening service united. Missionary program.

Thursday evening, Harvest Supper.

Behold, God is my salvation: I will trust and not be afraid: for the Lord JEHOVAH is my strength and my song; he also is become my salvation. Isa. 12:2.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCH

Sunday School at 10 o'clock.
Services Sunday morning at 10:45.

"Doctrine of atonement" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon that will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, Oct. 19.

LOCKE MILLS CHURCH

Sunday School 10:30 a. m. Supt., Carleton Lapham.

7 o'clock sharp. Prof. Fred Mabec of Bates College will talk on China. Probably few people are more qualified to speak on the subject of "Christ in China" than Prof. Mabec, as he and Mrs. Mabec spent several years as missionaries there.

Young People's Orchestra. School children welcome.

BIRTHS

In Bethel, Oct. 9, to the wife of Walter Jodrey, a son.

MARRIAGES

In Norwich, Conn., by Rev. Frederick Milos, M. S., Miss Phyllis M. Bennett, formerly of Gilead, and George Aylward Thayer of Norwich.

DEATHS

In Groton, Mass., Oct. 11, Mrs. Angie Lydia Wight, aged 62 years.

LAMONT E. COLE

Funeral services were held at the Locke Mills Church Saturday afternoon for Lamont E. Cole, who died suddenly on Wednesday, Oct. 8, at his home at Locke Mills.

He was born in Greenwood Oct. 25, 1888, and after his marriage 49 years ago to Ella Tibbetts of Norridgewock was a jeweler for six years in Washington, D. C. The next 20 years he spent on his father's farm at East Bethel, and the last 22 years has lived at Locke Mills, where for many years he was employed by the E. L. Tibbetts Spool Co.

He was a member of the Masonic Lodge, Knights of Pythias, and the Grange.

He is survived by his wife and three daughters, Mrs. Curtis Hutchinson, Mrs. Harold Cummings, and Mrs. Merle Jordan, and seven grandchildren.

Mrs. Fred Cole of St. Petersburg, Fla., and daughter, Mrs. Powell of Fishkill, N. Y., Mr. and Mrs. Mildred Tibbetts and Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Haskell of Norridgewock attended the funeral.

ROWE HILL

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hanscom spent the week end at North Newry.

Miss Ruth Hanscom spent Wednesday with Mrs. Ray Hanscom.

Mrs. Everett Cross visited last week with Mr. and Mrs. Elton Dunham.

Ernest Brooks entertained Mr. and Mrs. Colby Ring and Mr. and Mrs. Elton Dunham at supper, Sunday evening.

Albert Ring of Bates College was home over the week end.

In Locke Mills, Oct. 15, Charles W. Cole, aged 84 years.

In West Paris, Oct. 13, Mrs. Agnes Pratt, aged 74 years.

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